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THE HON. SRI N. RANGA REDDI :—" The hon. Member seems to presume that I know too much. He can put a separate question."

Grant of subsistence loans in Nellore district.

* 401 Q.—SRI G. C. KONDAYYA : Will the Hon. the Minister for Land Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) how much money has been granted in Nellore district towards subsistence loans so far this year, and how much is to be granted within the end of the year;

(b) how much money has been granted towards Takkavi loans in Nellore district within this year up to now and how much is to be granted within the end of the year; and

(c) how much loan is to be granted towards agricultural loan and how much has been granted up to now in Nellore district?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" (a) to (c) The amounts disbursed as loans under Land Improvement Loans and Agriculturists' Loans Acts and Subsistence Loans in Nellore district during the periods from 1st April 1951 to 31st March 1952 and from 1st April 1952 to 30th September 1952 are as follows :—

	Amounts disbursed.	
	From 1st April 1951 to 31st March 1952.	From 1st April 1952 to 30th September 1952.
	RS.	RS.
Loans under Land Improvement Loans and Agriculturists' Loans Acts	2,13,500	3,57,830
Subsistence loans	Nil.	2,20,973

The requirements of the remaining months during 1952–53 under the two heads are estimated as follows :—

	RS.
Loans under Land Improvement Loans and Agriculturists' Loans Acts .. .. —	7,00,000
Subsistence loans	10,00,000

The future disbursement of the amounts however depends on the seasonal conditions in the coming months."

SRI G. C. KONDAYYA :—" Is the Hon. Minister aware that the grant of loans to the famine affected villages in the Nellore district has been stopped under the orders of the Famine Commissioner who visited the district in the month of November this year? "

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" The Collector has been asked to reject applications for subsistence loans, unless it be that he has good reasons for supporting them in particular pockets in which case proposals may be sent at once."

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SRI R. VENKATA JAGGA RAO :—" ఈ తక్కావీ అప్పులకుగాను ఉపయోగించే దరఖాస్తు ఫారములు ఇవ్వడానికి ఫారం ఒకటింటికి అయిదు రూపాయీల చొప్పున మెజిస్ట్రేటు ఆఫీసులలో పుచ్చుకొంటున్నారనే సంగతి మంత్రిగారికి తెలుసా? తెలిసినట్లైతే దానిని గురించి ఏమేమి చర్య తీసుకొంటున్నారని అడుగుతున్నాను."

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" I am not aware of it, Sir."

SRI K. RAMAYYA CHOWDARY :—" ఈ జీవనభృతి ఋణాలను ఏ రకమైన ప్రజలకు, ఏ వృత్తులలో ఉన్నవారికి ప్రభుత్వంవారు ఇచ్చుచున్నారో సెలవీయగలరా?"

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :— " Owing to certain propaganda, there has been a great rush of applications. Therefore the grant of loans has been restricted to pattadars paying a land revenue of less than Rs. 50."

SRI D. SEETHARAMIAH :—" అధ్యక్షా, ఏ జిల్లాలలో అయినప్పటికి ఇప్పుడు ఈ జీవనభృతి ఋణాలు ఇస్తున్నారా?"

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :— " When there is necessity, it will be given irrespective of what district it is."

SRI G. C. KONDAYYA :—" Applications from some famine-affected areas recommended by the Tahsildars have been rejected by the Collector under the orders of the Famine Commissioner. Will the Government assure that such applications will be reconsidered?"

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :— " 27,000 and odd applications were received and 11,000 and odd applications have been disposed of. The Collector has been informed that if there is necessity in any pocket, it may be given."

SRI V. CHIDANANDAM :—" Are the Government aware that from the loan amounts, a certain portion is taken for the benefit of the Revenue Inspector or the Tahsildar to meet the cost of supplies to the superior officers?"

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :— " Has the hon. Member taken care to bring at least one such instance to the notice of the District Authorities or the Government here?"

Women's Welfare Centres in the State.

* 402 *Q.*—SRI K. KRISHNA RAO : Will the Hon. the Minister for Rural Welfare be pleased to state—

(*a*) the amount allotted to Nellore district for the work of the Women's Welfare Department for the year 1952–53 and the number of centres in Nellore district functioning now;